Communities of Opportunity Initiative

Community Progress Report April 1, 2010 - June 30, 2010 Due Wednesday, June 30, 2010

Name of Community: Schley Local Champion: John T. Greene, Coordinator

Date: 6/29/2010 Schley County Family Connection

Co-Op Strategies	List Measures of Success, (Or Barriers If Applicable)	Action Items Completed for Each Strategy	Cost Estimate	Provide a Brief Description of Issues and Action Items to be Addressed Next Quarter
Increase Adult Literacy in Schley County	18 Schley County Students received their GED.	96.6% of all Schley County GED Students who Pre and Post Tested had level completions.	n/a	
Increase Adult Literacy in Schley County	18 Schley County GED Students and their Parents attended a GED Appreciation Dinner at the Ellaville City Center.	Schley County in Collaboration with SGTC, the Adult Literacy Advisory Board and Schley County Family Connection hosted an awards dinner for all graduates and their families.	\$200	Continue to promote GED Program throughout the community through newspaper articles with success stories of former graduates.
Increase Adult Literacy in Schley County	30% Increase in Schley County GED Graduates (FY 2009 13 Graduates, FY 2010 17 graduates)	Promoted GED program through local newspapers, brochures and through the Schley County School System.	\$200	
Increase Adult Literacy in Schley County	The Schley County Adult Literacy Instructor met again with Judge Rucker Smith for the purpose of creating mandatory GED Class requirements to probationers without their GED.	Schley County Adult Literacy Instructor submitted updated instructor requirement list to Judge Rucker Smith.	n/a	Action next quarter will be to finalize probationer requirements and time compensation to probationers who successfully receive diplomas.
Increase Adult Literacy in	Continued to contact Potential Donators for GED Students who cannot afford the testing fees.	Donation Received from John Gill Ellaville Lions Club (As Needed) Ellaville Methodist Men's Club (As Need) American Legion Post 191 (As Needed)	\$95 \$19 / test \$19 / test \$19 / test	Nancy Young will continue collecting donations.

Lower Teen Pregnancy Rate	Identify Various Types of Curriculums that focus on Teen Pregnancy Prevention	Attended Showcase of Programs sponsored by Morehouse College.	\$150 Per Teacher \$10 Per Student	Meet with Superintendent and Curriculum Director to discuss implementing curriculum in grades 6, 7 and 8 and to identify possible funding sources.